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SUBJECT: EC PARBOILED RICE IMPORTS

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1. A COMMISSION OFFICIAL INFORMED US THAT INCREASED PROTECTION FOR PARBOILED RICE WAS NOT DISCUSSED AT THE MAY 14 MEETING OF THE EC ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON RICE. AT THE INSISTENCE OF THE RICE-PRODUCING MEMBERS ON THE COMMITTEE, THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL MEETING ON JUNE 27 TO DISCUSS THE ISSUE. PARTICIPANTS WILL INCLUDE OUTSIDE EXPERTS BROUGHT IN BY THE COMMISSION, IMPORTERS, AND PRODUCERS AS WELL AS THE REGULAR MEMBERS OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE NOT ACTING IN THAT CAPACITY.

2. OUR SOURCE WOULD NOT PREDICT HOW THE MEETING WILL GO. HE DID SAY THAT THE COMMISSION DOES NOT BELIEVE THAT EC RICE PRODUCERS HAVE A CONVINCING CASE. THE COMMISSION, HE REAFFIRMED, IS OPPOSED TO INCREASING PROTECTION AGAINST PARBOILED RICE IMPORTS AND WILL TRY TO PERSUADE THE PARTICIPANTS IN THE MEETING THAT ADDED PROTECTION IS NOT NECESSARY.

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